

## Press Release

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## Navy Finds No Significant Impacts in NAS Fallon Airfield Operations Environmental Assessment

The U.S. Navy has prepared and made available to the public the Final EA and the FONSI for Airfield Operations at NAS Fallon, Nevada. The Proposed Action includes the following at NAS Fallon: maintaining current/baseline airfield operations; conducting airfield operations with new types of aircraft; constructing, renovating, or demolishing facilities to support new types of aircraft; and increasing airfield operations to support future potential training conditions. The Navy finds that implementing the proposed action will not significantly affect the quality of the human environment; therefore, the Navy has determined that the preparation of an Environmental Impact Statement is not required. The Proposed Action is anticipated to be implemented during the 2015-2028 timeframe.

The Navy released the Draft EA on June 28, 2013, and received public comments on the document until July 19, 2013.

The Final EA and the FONSI are available for review at the following website: <a href="http://www.navyregionsouthwest.com/go/doc/4275/1422155/">http://www.navyregionsouthwest.com/go/doc/4275/1422155/</a>. A printed copy is also available for review at the Churchill County Library, 553 S Maine Street, Fallon, Nevada 89406. Copies of the Final EA and FONSI may be obtained from: Naval Facilities Engineering Command, Southwest, Attn: Ms. A. Kelley, Code EV21.AK, Bldg. 1, 5th Floor, 1220 Pacific Highway, San Diego, CA 92132.